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MRS. FRANK SCRIBNER IS ASSASSINATED

Shot Through Window While Sitting Quietly at the Home of a Friend. Her Father Under Arrest.

Last evening about 9 o'clock, at the home of her neighbor and relative Mr. Henry, about two miles north of the little city of Stonewall, Mrs. Frank Scribner was foully assassinated. The perpetrator of the deed used a shot gun loaded with buckshot and fired through a window from the outside. Mr. and Mrs. Scribner reside about a mile and a half north of Stonewall and were spending the evening with the family of Mr. Henry. Mr. Scribner and wife were sitting near each other when the shot was fired, but none of the other inmates of the house were injured. The load from the gun took effect in the back of the head and thirteen buckshot were removed from the wound.

The sheriff's force at Ada were notified of the tragedy as soon as possible and at two o'clock this morning Mr. Smith and five deputies were on the scene. About 150 yards from the house evidences were discovered of where a horse had been hitched, and from this point the blood hounds took a trail. There was also found at this point a slicker, or gum coat, which may later help to substantiate a clue.

No reports from the sheriff's posse have been received since 10 o'clock today, but they were in close pursuit at that time and felt positive that they would land their man.

At the present writing there is absolutely no clue as to the reason for the murder or the identity of the person. It has been suggested by some that the assassin was probably shooting at Mr. Scribner and killed the wife accidentally, but the marksmanship of the assassin would tend to refute this supposition.

A report was current this afternoon that the officers had effected the capture of an Indian, but it could not be substantiated and is believed to be a false report.

Mr. and Mrs. Scribner were both young people and had only been married a short while. Mrs. Scribner was only 19 years old and of Indian descent, her maiden name being Lillie Stix.

LATER.

Just as the News was going to press with the above report the sheriff's posse arrived on the north bound Katy train with Bill Stix, the father of Mrs. Scribner. The hounds trailed him for several hours in a circuit out near Conway, thence back near home, where he was captured this afternoon. He was placed in the county jail to await investigation.

School Men Arrive.

Those officials who will have to do with the location of the South Central normal at this place arrived on the north bound Katy this afternoon. The party is composed of Supt. of Public Instruction, E. D. Cameron, J. A. Manifee, State Treasurer, J. B. Mosley, prominent business man and politician of Oklahoma City, and W. W. Hastings, attorney for the Cherokee Nation, a talented lawyer and prominent politician. They are registered at the Harris and will take up their work here tomorrow.

For De Sota.

Miss Irene Eddleman one of Ada's most noted singers, has been engaged as musical director at the De Sota Theater, and this popular little theater will be packed by her friends to hear her. Miss Eddleman has often appeared before Ada audiences and her singing is always enjoyed. The De Sota is to be congratulated in securing Miss Eddleman.

COUNTY SUPT. PIERCE MAKES IT PLAIN

CAMPBELL RUSSELL'S ARGUMENT NOT WELL FOUNDED.

His Claim That There Are Too Many State Institutions Is Flimsy Indeed.

Mr. Editor:

I understand that Campbell Russell is preparing a petition, along with his other petitions to referendum the Ada state normal school, hoping that when the matter is submitted to the vote of the people it will be killed. When he is asked why he is interested in knocking out the Ada state normal his answer is that the state has too many. The argument is poor and without foundation. I have taken pains to look up the record of what other states have. I wish to report a few states having six or more state normals, not to mention the private normals of these states. I quote from the commissioner of Education as reported for the year ending June 30, 1906, Vol. 1, page 287, Illinois 6, Massachusetts 12, Minnesota 6, New York 20, Pennsylvania 15, West Virginia 7, Wisconsin 10.

The same record shows that these states have many private normals that are chartered and doing as high grade and efficient work as the state normals. So when it comes to the question of being too many compared with other states Mr. Russell's argument comes to naught.

Again, Mr. Russell says to do away with the Ada state normal will be a financial saving to the state. Let us see. The more normals the more trained teachers we have. The more

trained teachers we have the more efficient is the work in the schools, which is a splendid asset. The taxpayers wish to get value received for school taxes. There is no surer way to do this than to have better trained teachers.

There are in the state of Oklahoma 10,000 teachers, most of them being female teachers. The average life of a female teacher, as a teacher, is three years. To train teachers for the army of school children in Oklahoma there is no greater investment that the state can make.

If Mr. Russell is so anxious about the financial end of the matter, let him explain to the public why he is zealous over maintaining a long chain of agricultural schools. These schools are all right, but let Mr. Russell make it plain why he is in favor of many of the one and fewer of the other.

If the matter is submitted to a vote the people will have the opportunity to hand Mr. Russell one.

Respectfully,
T. F. PIERCE.

STATE PRESS MEET AT CLAREMORE

PROGRAM COMPLETE FOR THE TWO DAYS SESSION.

Will Be Entertained as Special Guests of the Commercial Club.

Claremore, Ok., May 9.—The Oklahoma State Press Association will hold the annual meeting here May 14-15 as guests of the Commercial Club. Among the features will be a ball and banquet on the first night of the association. Hon. Andrew Bond will deliver the address of welcome for the citizens and President Duffie of the State association will make the response of this occasion. The following program has been arranged.

Friday, May 14, 10 a. m.—Welcome address, Judge T. L. Brown on behalf of the city of Claremore; response, John Golobie, State Register, Guthrie; annual address by President P. P. Duffie (democrat); El Reno; secretary's report, appointment of committees. The program will be interspersed with music throughout the meeting. The assignment for topics for discussion have been made as follows:

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"Government Envelopes," C. C. Worrell, State printer, editor of Chief, Hobart.

Following the first day's session there will be a publisher's question box, which will be participated in by F. E. S. Amos, Vinita Leader; H. P. Crouse, Enid News; W. B. Anthony, Marlow Herald; William Striker, Tulsa Democrat; J. P. Renfrow, Alva Record; Arch McGill, Wapawanna Press.

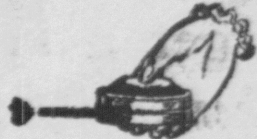
Saturday, May 15, 10 a. m.—"The Devil," L. M. Spivey, Democrat, Anadarko; "Foreign Advertising," Eugene Kerr, Times-Democrat, Muskogee; "Newspaper Legislation," C. S. Bennett, Beacon; Cordell; "Oklahoma's Underground Wealth," H. P. Robins, News-Capital, McAlester; "The Principality of No Man's Land," J. Porter Wright, Democrat, Guyton.

Following the program the election of officers will be held and selection for next place of meeting.

City Federation.

The following officers were elected at a called meeting last Tuesday for the city federation: President, Mrs. R. F. King; vice president, Mrs. W. W. Sledge; secretary, Mrs. C. A. Gabraith; treasurer, Mrs. Virgil Hale, auditor, Mrs. A. M. Croxton.

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For the third time this year the hand of the foul assassin has been raised against citizens of Pontotoc county, and three victims have given up their lives without warning. The latest occurrence of this kind to shock and terrify the people was the assassination of Mrs. Frank Scribner, of the Stonewall community, last evening. These deplorable events are coming in swift succession when it is considered that this is the third this year. Swift and adequate justice from the courts is undoubtedly the only cure, and let it be hoped that this be done in every instance.

Dr. Browall III.

Dr. H. Browall is at his home suffering seriously with blood poison, contracted while performing an operation recently on a patient. It is understood that a special physician from Sherman, Tex., will arrive this afternoon to attend the doctor in his illness.

The Hen and the Doorknob

By Herbert Kaufman

Once upon a time there was a fool hen who sat on a china doorknob for three weeks expecting to get a family. The only thing she did get was experience.

The advertising field is full of "china doorknob propositions"—examples of merchants who expect good newspapers to hatch money out of bad egg business, or who put sound nest eggs under the wrong "advertising hen."

There are three principles to follow in an advertising campaign: First of all, find a business that will stand advertising; secondly, find the newspaper that will make the advertising pay; thirdly, give the newspaper time to pay.

You can't start in to breed dollars in less time than it takes to hatch them any more than you can pull a hen off the nest before she has had a chance to incubate. In both cases you simply waste what has been invested. If you stop too soon you will get a rotten egg instead of a chicken.

Advertise something out of which you may reasonably expect returns, and when you have found what to advertise, take care that you place your copy in a newspaper that can turn the trick. Don't delude yourself with a china doorknob, and don't confuse a "rooster newspaper," which spends its time cock-a-loruming, for a "hen newspaper" that is too busy hatching out dollars to strut about crowing.

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DISTRICT COURT CONVENES TODAY

JUDGE RAINEY OPENS COURT AT TEN O'CLOCK.

Grand Jury Recharged and Hearing of Cases Commenced.

Judge Robert M. Rainey, of Atoka, the newly appointed district judge for this district arrived here yesterday and opened court at ten o'clock this morning. The grand jury empaneled at the special term two weeks ago was retained. Judge Rainey delivered a lengthy charge covering the whole statutes, dwelling particularly on the crimes of murder, selling liquor and carrying concealed weapons.

He stated that the most prevalent violators were those of the prohibition law, explaining that property holders who rented or leased property for this purpose could be enjoined from doing so, and not only that but the property could be condemned and confiscated to the state. The judge was emphatic in all his remarks and he doesn't mince words in his condemnation of crime.

Judge Rainey explained the reason for a congested docket in this district, stating this as one of the reasons for the appointment of an extra judge for this district.

It is the intention of he and Judge West, however, to clear the docket in this district at once, and no time will be lost in doing so.

The judge's charge will appear in tomorrow's News complete.

New Parsonage.

Work was commenced today on the new Baptist parsonage, the contract having been let to R. J. Ross. The parsonage will be located on the lot north of the Baptist church. It is to be a two story structure, at a cost of about \$2000, and will be a credit to the Baptists and to the city of Ada.

Lid on at Holdenville.

Holdenville, Okla., May 8.—This week the lid has been on in Holdenville and it is said to fit tight. The recent grand jury returned seventy indictments for the sale of liquor in Hughes county, and this week the entire time of the county court has been given to the trials. Pete Demolan of Wetumka was first placed upon trial for selling "Sunbeam," which had more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol in it. Prohibitionists of the entire county were in attendance and the case attracted more of a crowd than a murder case usually does.

Another case was H. F. Bauer, proprietor of the "Mistletoe" joint in this city. This took up two days in the trial and after the jury remained out twenty-four hours, it failed to reach a verdict and was discharged. All joints in the county are closed, but what will be the next step, either of the jointists or prohibitionists, cannot be stated now.

Board of Regents.

Information was received from the board of regents at Durant today that they had concluded their work at that place and would arrive here this afternoon instead of tomorrow as had been planned. They will be met at the train by Ada citizens and escorted to the 25,000 club rooms where they will be given an informal reception.

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## Legal Publications

Notice of the First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma, at Ada.

In the matter of E. P. Bryant of Roff, Oklahoma, Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of E. P. Bryant, a Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that, on the 21st day of April, 1909, the said E. P. Bryant was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office at Ada, Okla., at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on the 17th day of May, A. D. 1909, at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

This 6th day of May, 1909.

A. H. CONSTANT,

Referee in Bankruptcy.

The Ada Weekly News, published at Ada, Oklahoma, is designated as the official paper in which all notices pertaining to this proceeding will be published.

(34-Std. in weekly on 13th.)

## Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Nannie Ford.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the County of Pontotoc, State of Oklahoma, made on the 5th day of May, 1909, the undersigned Guardian of the estate of Nannie Ford will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, subject to confirmation by said court, on Saturday the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1909, at 11 o'clock A. M., at County Court House, Ada, Okla., all the right, title and interest of said Nannie Ford in and to the following described real estate situate in Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, to-wit: East one-half of the Southeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter, Sec. 17, Township (4) North, Range (8) East, containing (60) acres.

Said real estate will be sold on the following terms and conditions, to-wit: Cash at private sale.

Bids for the purchase thereof must be in writing and must be filed in the County Court, or delivered to

the undersigned at law office of James E. Webb, Ada, Oklahoma.

Dated the 4th day of May, 1909.

JIM CARNEY.

(First pub. May 6—10td)

## Normal School.

Those having work that may be done by boys or girls attending the Normal school the ensuing year—such as general house work, chores, janitors at business houses, and the like, please notify me soon so that we may announce in our catalog that many deserving boys and girls may thus make part or all their expenses homes may thus get reliable help. M. L. Perkins.

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## PERSONAL COLUMN

Have you seen Joe Biles?

C. J. Warren spent Sunday in Atoka.

R. C. Jeter returned to Stonewall today.

Kodaks to sell or rent at Ramsey's Drug store.

Pink Steed spent Sunday with his family here.

A. B. Collins of Roff was an Ada visitor Sunday.

Prof. Chas. W. Briles returned to Muskogee today.

Melvin Wilson made a business trip to Roff today.

Miss Ruth Taylor spent Sunday with home folks.

Arch Clark of Stonewall was an Ada visitor today.

Master Hughey Howerton is very ill with pneumonia.

Chief O. J. Cottle was over from Roff, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Shanafelt returned from Atoka Sunday afternoon.

C. E. Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway, phone 279. 272-17

Dr. Saffarans returned Saturday night from a two weeks visit in Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Wade Noyes, from Wichita, Kan., is the guest of Mrs. Orville Snead this week.

Rev. S. M. Goddard spent a few hours in Ada today en route from Konawa to Holdenville.

C. W. Graves has returned home from an extended visit with relatives in Martinsburg, W. Va.

Rev. J. C. Stubblefield went to Durant this morning, and will return with his family in a few days.

Mrs. Ward, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. U. G. Winn, returned to Stonewall this morning.

Rev. C. C. Barnhardt filled his regular appointment at Fitzhugh Sunday and returned home this morning.

Mrs. J. B. Shaw, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. J. K. Odle, two weeks, returned to her home in Sherman today.

John Turman and wife returned to Calvin today, having spent several days with Mrs. Turman's parents, A. J. Deaton and wife.

Mrs. Alexander's two little nieces from Stonewall returned home this morning, accompanied by their grandfather, Mr. Spruce.

Mr. A. P. Roberts, recognized by his friends as Uncle Pleas, was a welcome visitor at the News office on Monday of this week.

Mrs. H. M. Furman and son, Henry Marshal, returned from Roff this morning. Mrs. Furman is the house guest of Mrs. Tom Hope.

J. B. Emory returned home Sunday from market, where he spent last week with Mr. J. B. Wall, proprietor of the Texas Department store.

Mr. Robert Thompson, of Cookeville, Tenn., and Mr. Lawrence Huddleston, of Sherman Tex., are in the city for a visit with relatives.

Mr. J. B. Wall, proprietor of the Texas Department store, arrived this morning, and is busy directing preparations for the opening of the new store.

Misses Laura Scribner, Minnie West and Mrs. Sol Moss and Mrs. Dan Scribner, relatives of Mrs. Frank Scribner, went to Stonewall this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Jackson, of Cornish, Okla., are visiting the family of C. C. Hargis, Mrs. Jackson's brother, of this city. Mr. Hargis and Mr. Jackson will make a visit to Oklahoma City leaving this afternoon.

Mr. A. L. Beck is improving his property on 17th and Broadway, where he expects to move when the work is completed. The house is being raised, will have a concrete foundation and concrete porches, and several other changes made.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.

### FOR A SOLDIER'S HOME.

An Appeal from General Cross to Those Interested.

It is my earnest wish and desire that we build for the Confederate Soldiers, their wives and widows, a home in the state of Oklahoma, and I appeal to everyone who is in sympathy in any way with us to send twenty-five cents towards this fund on June 3rd, as that will be Confederate Soldiers' day throughout Oklahoma.

In making this appeal to the public generally, we do so, believing there is not a citizen within the bounds of our great state, but who admires the courage of those who fought during the sixties on the opposite side from our brothers who wore the blue.

We are raising a fund for the purpose of building this home, and we believe that in asking this small contribution that there is no one in the state but what will feel like contributing at least that much toward building this home. After we have raised a certain amount of money, we will select the site in some locality where this home will be built.

In contributing money, please send to Col. J. J. McAlester, who is Treasurer of this Association, Guthrie, Ok. We feel that this small amount is in reach of every good citizen of Oklahoma, and that each and every citizen who is interested in the citizenship of Oklahoma will contribute something towards this home.

Thanking you in advance, I remain, very respectfully, Wm. M. Cross, Commander in Chief, U. C. V., Oklahoma Division.

### OFFICIALS INVOLVED.

Former Servants of Government Involved in Sugar Scandal.

New York, May 8.—Former officials of the treasury at Washington will be involved in the criminal prosecutions instituted against Oliver Spitzer and six others who were associated with him as weighers in the employ of the Havemeyers and Elder refinery, according to present indications. The seven men were indicted Friday on the charge of swindling the United States out of millions of dollars in duties on sugar, imported by the sugar trust.

The government claimed \$9,000,000 and the trust compromised by the payment of more than \$2,000,000 in fines, in the hope that such payment would settle the matter. The indictments returned on Friday were in effect a notice to the trust that criminal prosecutions would be pressed regardless of the civil suits.

### Notice to Warrant Holders.

All parties holding warrants issued by the Board of Education of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, from registered number 427 to 628 inclusive, also registered numbers 406 to 426 are requested to deliver them to me for cancellation and payment out of refunding bond issue.

W. D. HAYS, Treasurer.

### Notice.

I will leave Ada June 1st. Parties desiring my services should call early that their work may be finished by that time. J. D. Thompson, Dentist. 35-31

## WANTS

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:

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of Shawnee, will be in his office at Harris hotel the second and fourth Mondays in each month conclusively.

## HUGO OFFICER KILLED BY MEMBER OF OWN POSSE

THOUGHT TO BE A MOONSHINER IN AMBUSH.

Misunderstanding of Time and Places of Hiding Cause Accident.

Hugo, Ok., May 9.—The killing of Officer Holden is still the topic of discussion in this city and later information is that Holden was killed by some of his own party through a mistaken belief that he was one of the men they were seeking to arrest and not by the alleged moonshiner, as the latter offered no resistance whatever and did not fire a shot.

It seems that at Holden's suggestion the party of nine raiding deputies on arrival at the scene were divided in three squads, one of which was to approach from the front while the other two were to go to exact spots on the east and west ends of the house at a point where their lives would not be endangered by cross-firing.

Sheriff Connell and officers Irvin assumed the duty of entering the front way while Holden and a party went to the east side and the remainder to the west end of the house.

Holden, for some reason, went far beyond the point designated and hid himself in a clump of thick bushes. Sheriff Connell and Irvin approached the house through an open five-acre lot and almost gained the house before they were discovered by some children, who gave the alarm. The men in the house immediately stepped out the rear door, and seeing they were surrounded, at once surrendered to the officers on the west side of the house.

Meantime Sheriff Connell and his assistant had entered the house and a 17-year-old boy left the house, when Officer Holden opened fire upon him, firing three shots in rapid succession, driving the boy back in the house.

Each one of Holden's shots went through the house, endangering the lives of the officers.

The officers on the west, seeing that shots were coming from a direction and a point where the officers were directed not to go, began firing at the clump of bushes in which Holden had concealed himself, supposing they were shooting at an enemy. After about ten shots had been fired one of the prisoners remarked:

"You are firing upon your own men."

Sheriff Connell then stepped out of the house and requested the officers to cease firing. He and Officer Irvin then went to the spot where the shots were first fired and found the dead body of Officer Holden lying upon the ground. The body of Holden was buried here yesterday and many citizens attended the burial.

The officers are in possession of reliable information that eight or ten illicit distilleries are in operation in McCurtain county and it is probable more raids will be made in the near future. The two prisoners in default of bond of \$500 each were placed in jail.

### Will Not Change Location.

Last week some person with a strong imagination took a News reporter into his confidence and unfolded to him the information that the M. O. and G. railroad contemplated changing the location of the site of the new depot at Allen. Since that time we have been in communication with the officials and they inform us that the depot will be located at the spot originally picked out and that any rumors circulated about any other location were false. We are glad to make the correction.

### Prof. Briles Here.

Prof. Briles, president of the Ada Normal, arrived here yesterday for a consultation with the school board, also to meet the board of regents who will arrive here this afternoon. Prof. Briles was in consultation with the school trustees and normal committee this morning, discussing matters relative to making provision for the summer normal.

### Officers of XX Century.

At a called meeting of the XX Century Club on last Thursday in Mr. E. W. Hardin's office the officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are as follows: President, Mrs. Tom Hope; 1st vice president, Mrs. John McKinley; 2nd vice president, Mrs. C. A. Galbraith; secretary, Mrs. A. K. Thornton and treasurer, Mrs. Melissa Biles.

### From Konawa.

W. J. Berringer, who has been engaged with the Chief Leader at Konawa for some time was an Ada visitor today.

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## WHO'S WHO IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE

### CONSIDERATION OF TARIFF MAKES MATTERS COMPLICATED.

#### Senator Tillman Says You Can't Tell the Sheep From the Goats.

Washington, May 8.—"Who's who in America" is much simpler of solution than to differentiate between a republican and a democrat in the United States senate since the grave and staid membership of that body began the consideration of the tariff bill.

A stranger sitting in the galleries would be put to confusion to determine the party affiliations of a southern democratic senator, so coyly does he address himself alternately to the benefits of protection and the theoretical blessings that would flow from putting the lowest consistent tax upon the consumer.

Likewise would the stranger be confounded were he to try to fix the party of a western republican senator, who, while confessing his allegiance to the fundamental principles of protection, showers flowers of rhetoric upon the policy of giving his section certain articles of necessity duty free.

#### Senator Tillman's View.

Senator Tillman has bluntly described the situation in the senate as being so badly mixed, that no one can tell "the sheep from the goats." Two speeches delivered last week will give a fair idea of the funny mix-up. Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, a republican to the marrow, spoke fervently and at length for free lumber and free other things which the consumers of his section of the great northwest need to make living less burdensome, and the next day senator Fletcher, of Florida, whose commission as a senator is fresh from the hands of a democratic governor and a democratic legislature fairly out-Aldriched Aldrich himself, in favor of protecting lumber, sea island cotton and citrus fruits. On the same day, Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, republican, spoke at great length for free lumber and a material reduction of the duties on other articles, which his people now

have to buy at exorbitant prices on account of the Dingley rates. He talked so much like a democrat of the old faith that one of his republican colleagues twitted him with having weakened in his republicanism.

#### Both Parties Divided.

The republicans are divided and their democratic brethren are similarly afflicted. Perhaps not half a dozen democratic senators are toeing the line squarely on the old-time policy for a tariff for revenue. The others are "terribly wrenched." While laying stress upon their steadfastness for the old time doctrine for a tariff for revenue only, every man of them is squinting over his spectacles at a rate of duty on some special article which will afford a "leetle" protection incidentally. Apparently the fact that their stand is in juxtaposition with the attitude of their part is causing them no concern.

Now that the south is the bountiful storehouse of those raw materials almost exhausted in other sections, is that fact going to incline its people more and more to protection as manufactures multiply is a question heard every day at the capitol. Senator Aldrich recently boldly declared that protection is no longer sectional, but national, and that the democratic party would have to recognize the fact and act accordingly.

#### A Few Disgusted.

Senator Tillman of South Carolina, is evidently out of humor with his democratic colleagues for their protective leaning, and avails himself of every opportunity to prod them. Hence his observation a few days ago that the situation is so badly mixed that it is impossible to distinguish "the sheep from the goats." Senator Rayner of Maryland is also bordering on disgust with those democratic senators who are clamoring for a duty on favored articles in their respective states.

But beyond dispute the republicans are as deep in the mire as the democrats are in the mud, on the pending tariff bill, with the difference in favor of the democrats because the responsibility of enacting a tariff law does not rest upon their party in congress.

#### Situation in House.

The situation in the house is not unlike that of the senate, for in the former as well as in the latter body republican is arrayed against republican, and democrat against democrat. But the members of the house, however wide their differences, that not upon them, but upon the members of the senate will the burden of responsibility for the new tariff law be placed, for when the bill finally emerges from conference, probably in a form totally strange either to the present house or senate measures, it will undoubtedly show more largely the handiwork of Senator Aldrich chairman of the finance committee, than it does the work of Representative Payne, chairman of the house ways and means committee.

#### Apaches May Move Grounds.

Lawton, Ok., May 9.—Chief Asa Deklugie, a nephew by marriage of the late Geronimo, war chief of the Apaches, who now legally heads the entire Apache prisoners of war at Fort Sill, left last night for the Mesquero reservation in New Mexico, where he hopes to find conditions favorable to a transfer of the Apaches from Oklahoma to that reservation. While several of the Apaches desire to remain under the protection of the War Department at Fort Sill the greater portion of their 250 war prisoners are united upon the movement to secure their liberty and be permitted to take up allotment in the Western Territory, where the older ones of the tribes once held supremacy. The new chief will return in ten days with his report for the government as well as for the tribe.

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#### JUDGE MARSHALL PRESIDING.

#### Will Convene Federal Grand Jury in Tulsa Monday Morning.

Tulsa, Ok., May 8.—For the next thirty days national and state interests will again be centered in the city of Tulsa. On Monday the government attorneys will present the Muskogee town lot fraud cases, in which governor Haskell and others are defendants, to a new grand jury for investigation. Judge Ralph Campbell who was released before upon his own request has again been released from hearing the investigation.

Judge John A. Marshall, of Salt Lake City, Utah, who quashed the former indictments on April 10th, will preside over the coming investigation, and will arrive in Tulsa tomorrow. Special United States Prosecutor Sylvester Rush and Oliver T. Pagan, who drew the indictments will be here to assist District Attorney W. J. Gregg in the investigation.

Attorney Gregg stated today that he expected to be busy with the grand jury in the Muskogee land cases for at least thirty days. Rush and Pagan will come to Tulsa from Chicago.

There will be at least 75 witnesses here to testify before the grand jury coming from all parts of the United States. While all the documentary evidence presented to the last grand jury is at the disposal of the United States attorneys for the coming investigation, all witnesses must be re-examined.

#### STORM DAMAGE AT TULSA.

#### Telephone and Telegraph Service Badly Crippled.

Tulsa, Ok., May 9.—Heavy damage was done by rain and lightning during a severe storm which raged all last night. Workmen on the Robinson Hotel, undergoing repairs, left the elevator shaft unprotected and the hotel was damaged by water to the amount of \$2,000. The Brady dry goods store, on East First street, was deluged by back water. Many basements were flooded.

Telephone, telephone and electric lighting service were badly crippled. The Pioneer Telephone Company estimates that it suffered a loss of \$5,000 by the storm. A washout on the Frisco between Sapulpa and Kansas City caused an annulment of the Kansas City Meteor, and a special train was made up at Sapulpa at a late hour.

Every town in this locality suffered from the storm.

No reports from the casualties have been verified, although there are rumors of such. Two inches of rain fell.

#### Kills a Witness.

Shawnee, Okla., May 8.—Jim Garrett, a planing mill employe, was shot three times tonight by Lindsay Coleman, son of a former deputy U. S. marshal. The shooting took place in Joe Cowden's resort on south Broadway and the injured man was taken to the Shawnee hospital in a dying condition.

Assistant County Attorney Johnson was the first to reach Garrett after he was shot and when asked for a statement said: "Coleman shot me because I was a witness against him in police court today."

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#### CAPITAL SCHEME NON-PARTISAN.

#### Central Committees from Both Parties Pushing the Petition.

Oklahoma City, May 9.—The Oklahoma City state capital committee has succeeded in enlisting the support of the county organizations, of both political parties and both republican and democratic central committees are overseeing the circulation and correct signing of state capital initiative petitions.

The demand for petitions is so great that over 8,000 have already been sent out and many have been returned with the full number of names attached. However, the number of petitions returned is not completely satisfactory to H. A. Johnson, secretary of the committee.

"Those who have petitions will confer a great favor on the committee by returning them at the earliest possible moment," said Mr. Johnston. "We want to know just where we are at all the time."

A pleasing feature in the reception of the petition circulation has been the action of the notaries. In most instances they have declined to accept fees for certification services.

The committee has given formal notice to all members of the legislature of the proposed initiative measure.

#### In Time to Save the Crops.

Guthrie, Ok., May 9.—Central and Northern Oklahoma was visited by a severe electrical storm and drenching rain last night, terminating the spring drought that has been threatening crops. The storm in places was attended by a wind of high velocity, doing little damage.

Bartlesville was in the hard wind

center, and near there a farm house was moved from its foundation, but the occupants escaped injury. Early in the night telegraph and telephone wires were put out of commission. It is believed the moisture came in time to save crops from loss from hot winds that have prevailed for nearly ten days.

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#### Asbury Methodist Church.

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Sunday school every Sunday 9:45 a. m., W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00.

Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesdays of each month.

#### First Presbyterian Church.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent.

#### Presbyterian Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Reed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

#### First Baptist Church.

Rev. C. Stubblefield pastor. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

#### Christian Church

Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. E. Smoot, p. tor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.

Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m.

#### First Methodist Church.

Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 8:00.

#### North Ada Baptist Church.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45. A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

#### LODGE DIRECTORY.

#### W. O. W.

Ada Camp, No. 568, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

#### Ada Aerie, No. 1740.

Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

#### I. O. O. F.

Ada lodge No. 82, I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Deaton, N. G.; C. M. Chauncey, secretary.

#### Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 116.

Meets first, third and fifth Saturday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. C. M. Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

#### RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

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No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.  
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No. 509 due 9:40 a. m.  
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.

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No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.  
Northbound.  
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.

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## MRS. FRANK SCRIBNER IS ASSASSINATED

### Shot Through Window While Sitting Quietly at the Home of a Friend. Her Father Under Arrest.

Last evening about 9 o'clock at the home of her neighbor and relative Mr. Henry about two miles north of the little city of Stonewall Mrs. Frank Scribner was foully assassinated. The perpetrator of the deed fired a shot gun loaded with buckshot and fired through a window from the outside. Mr. and Mrs. Scribner reside about a mile and a half north of Stonewall and were spending the evening with the family of Mr. Henry. Mr. and Mrs. Scribner were sitting near each other when the shot was fired but none of the other inmates of the house were injured. The load from the gun took effect in the back of the head and thirteen buckshot were in the wound.

The sheriff's force at Ada were notified of the tragedy as soon as possible and at two o'clock this morning Mr. Smith and his deputies were on the scene. About 150 yards from the house evidences were discovered of where a horse had been hitched and from this point the blood hounds took a trail. There was also found at this point a shelter or gun coat which may later help to substantiate a clue.

No reports from the sheriff's posse have been received since 10 o'clock today but they were in close pursuit at that time and felt positive that they would land their man.

At the present writing there is absolutely no clue as to the reason for the murder or the identity of the person it has been suggested by some that the assassin was probably shooting at Mr. Scribner and killed the wife accidentally but the markings in the window would tend to refute this supposition.

A report is also out this afternoon that the sheriff had effected the capture of an Indian but it could not be substantiated and is believed to be a false report.

Mr. and Mrs. Scribner were both young people and had only been married a short while. Mrs. Scribner was only 19 years old and of Indian descent her maiden name being Lil He Sox.

### LATER.

Just as the News was going to press with the above report the sheriff's posse arrived on the north bound Katy train with Bill Stix, the father of Mrs. Scribner. The hounds trailed him for several hours in a circuit out near Conway, thence back near home, where he was captured this afternoon. He was placed in the county jail to await investigation.

### School Men Arrive.

Those officials who will have to do with the location of the South Central normal at this place arrived on the north bound Katy this afternoon. The party is composed of Supt. of Public Instruction E. D. Cameron, J. A. Manfey State Treasurer, J. B. Mosley prominent business man and politician of Oklahoma City and W. W. Hastings attorney for the Cherokee Nation a talented lawyer and prominent politician. They are registered at the Harris and will take up their work here tomorrow.

### For De Sota.

Miss Irene Eddleman one of Ada's most noted singers has been engaged as musical director at the De Sota Theater and this popular little theater will be picked by her friends to hear her. Miss Eddleman has often appeared before Ada audiences and her singing is always enjoyed. The De Sota is to be congratulated in securing Miss Eddleman.

### COUNTY SUPT. PIERCE MAKES IT PLAIN

#### CAMPBELL RUSSELL'S ARGUMENT NOT WELL FOUNDED.

His Claim That There Are Too Many State Institutions Is Flimsy Indeed.

Mr. Editor:

I understand that Campbell Russell is preparing a petition along with his other petitions to referendum the Ada state normal school hoping that when the matter is submitted to the vote of the people it will be killed. When he is asked why he is interested in knocking out the Ada state normal his answer is that the state has too many. The argument is poor and without foundation. I have taken pains to look up the record of what other states have. I wish to report a few states having six or more state normals not to mention the private normals of these states. I quote from the commission of Education as reported for the year ending June 30 1906 Vol. 1 page 287 Illinois 6 Massachusetts 12 Minnesota 6 New York 20 Pennsylvania 11 West Virginia 7 Wisconsin 10.

The same record shows that these states have many private normals that are chartered and do as high grade and efficient work as the state normals. So when it comes to the question of being too many compared with other states Mr. Russell's argument comes to naught.

Again Mr. Russell says to do away with the Ada state normal will be a financial saving to the state. Let us see. The more normals the more trained teachers we have. The more

trained teachers we have the more efficient is the work in the schools which is a splendid asset. The taxpayers wish to get value received for school taxes. There is no sure way to do this than to have better trained teachers.

There are in the state of Oklahoma 10,000 teachers most of them being female teachers. The average life of a female teacher as a teacher is three years. To train teachers for the army of school children in Oklahoma there is no greater investment that the state can make.

If Mr. Russell is so anxious about the financial end of the matter let him explain to the public why he is zealous over maintaining a long chain of agricultural schools. These schools are all right but let Mr. Russell make it plain why he is in favor of many of the one and fewer of the other.

If the matter is submitted to a vote the people will have the opportunity to hand Mr. Russell one.

Respectfully  
P. P. PIERCE

### STATE PRESS MEET AT CLAREMORE

#### PROGRAM COMPLETE FOR THE TWO DAYS SESSION.

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Claremore Ok May 9.—The Oklahoma State Press Association will hold the annual meeting here May 14-15 as guests of the Commercial Club. Among the features will be a ball and banquet on the first night of the association. Hon. Andrew Bland will deliver the address of welcome for the citizens and President Duffie of the State association will make the response of this occasion. The following program has been arranged:

Friday May 14 10 a. m.—Welcome address Judge P. L. Brown on behalf of the city of Claremore. Response John Colborne State Register. Guthrie. Annual address by President P. P. Duffie (democratic). Reno. Secretaries report appointment of committees. The program will be interspersed with music throughout the meeting. The arrangement for topics for discussion have been made as follows:

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Saturday May 15 10 a. m.—The Devil L. M. Spivey Democrat, Adair County Foreign Advertising Eugene Keri Times-Democrat Muskogee Newspaper Legislation C. S. Bennett Beacon Cordell Oklahoma Underground Wealth, H. P. Robins News-Capital McAlester The Principality of No Man's Land J. Porter Wright Democrat Guymon.

Following the program the election of officers will be held and selection for next place of meeting.

(By Federation.)  
The following officers were elected at a called meeting last Tuesday for the city federation: President Mrs. R. F. King vice president Mrs. W. W. Sledge secretary Mrs. C. A. Gahmrich treasurer Mrs. Virgil Hale auditor Mrs. A. M. Croxton.

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For the third time this year the hand of the foul assassin has been raised against citizens of Pontotoc county and three victims have given up their lives without warning. The latest occurrence of this kind to shock and terrify the people was the assassination of Mrs. Frank Scribner of the Stonewall community last evening. These deplorable events are coming in swift succession when it is considered that this is the third this year. Swift and adequate justice from the courts is undoubtedly the only cure, and let it be hoped that this be done in every instance.

## Dr. Browall Ill.

Dr. H. Browall is at his home suffering seriously with blood poison contracted while performing an operation recently on a patient. It is understood that a special physician from Sherman Tex. will arrive this afternoon to attend the doctor in his illness.

## The Hen and the Doorknob

By Herbert Kaufman

Once upon a time there was a fool hen who sat on a china doorknob for three weeks expecting to get a family. The only thing she did get was experience.

The advertising field is full of "china doorknob propositions"—examples of merchants who expect good newspapers to hatch money out of bad egg business, or who put sound nest eggs under the wrong "advertising hen."

There are three principles to follow in an advertising campaign: First of all, find a business that will stand advertising; secondly, find the newspaper that will make the advertising pay; thirdly, give the newspaper time to pay.

You can't start in to breed dollars in less time than it takes to hatch them any more than you can pull a hen off the nest before she has had a chance to incubate. In both cases you simply waste what has been invested. If you stop too soon you will get a rotten egg instead of a chicken.

Advertise something out of which you may reasonably expect returns, and when you have found what to advertise, take care that you place your copy in a newspaper that can turn the trick. Don't delude yourself with a china doorknob, and don't confuse a "rooster newspaper," which spends its time cock-a-loruming, for a "hen newspaper" that is too busy hatching out dollars to strut about crowing.

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## DISTRICT COURT CONVENES TODAY

JUDGE RAINY OPENS COURT AT TEN O'CLOCK.

Grand Jury Recharged and Hearing of Cases Commenced.

Judge Robert M. Rainey of Atoka the newly appointed district judge for this district arrived here yesterday and opened court at ten o'clock this morning. The grand jury empaneled at the special term two weeks ago was retained. Judge Rainey delivered a lengthy charge covering the whole statutes dwelling particularly on the crimes of murder, selling liquor and carrying concealed weapons.

He stated that the most prevalent violations were those of the prohibition law explaining that property holders who rented or leased property for this purpose could be enjoined from doing so and not only that but the property could be condemned and confiscated to the state. The judge was emphatic in all his remarks and he doesn't mince words in his condemnation of crime.

Judge Rainey explained the reason for a congested docket in this district stating this as one of the reasons for the appointment of an extra judge for this district.

It is the intention of he and Judge West however to clear the docket in this district at once and no time will be lost in doing so.

The judge's charge will appear in tomorrow's News complete.

## New Parsonage.

Work was commenced today on the new Baptist parsonage the contract having been let to R. I. Ross. The parsonage will be located on the lot north of the Baptist church. It is to be a two story structure, at a cost of about \$2000, and will be a credit to the Baptists and to the city of Ada.

## Lid on at Holdenville.

Holdenville, Okla., May 8.—This week the lid has been on in Holdenville and it is said to fit tight. The recent grand jury returned seventy indictments for the sale of liquor in Hughes county and this week the entire time of the county court has been given to the trials. Pete Demolian of Wetumka was first placed upon trial for selling Sunbeam which had more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol in it. Prohibitionists of the entire county were in attendance and the case attracted more of a crowd than a murder case usually does.

Another case was H. J. Bauer proprietor of the Mistletoe joint in this city. This took up two days in the trial and after the jury is impaneled out twenty-four hours it failed to reach a verdict and was discharged. All points in the county are closed but what will be the next step either of the jointists or prohibitionists cannot be stated now.

## Board of Regents.

Information was received from the board of regents at Durant today that they had concluded their work at that place and would arrive here this afternoon instead of tomorrow as had been planned. They will be met at the train by Ada citizens and escorted to the 2000 club room where they will be given an informal reception.

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In the District Court of the United States for the 13th term District of Oklahoma at Ada. In the matter of E. P. Bryant of Roff Oklahoma Bankrupt. To the Creditors of E. P. Bryant Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 21st day of April 1909 the said E. P. Bryant was duly adjudicated bankrupt and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office at Ada Okla. at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on the 17th day of May A. D. 1909 at which time the creditors may attend prove their claims appoint a trustee examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

This 6th day of May 1909

A. H. CONSTANT

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The Ada Weekly News published at Ada Oklahoma is designated as the official paper in which all notices pertaining to his proceeding will be published.

(148th in weekly on 13th)

## Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Nannie Ford.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the County of Pontotoc State of Oklahoma made on the 5th day of May 1909 the undersigned Guardian of the estate of Nannie Ford will sell at private sale to the highest bidder subject to confirmation by said court on Saturday the 22nd day of May A. D. 1909 at 11 o'clock A. M. at County Court House Ada Okla. all the right title and interest of said Nannie Ford in and to the following described real estate situate in Pontotoc County State of Oklahoma to-wit: East one-half of the Southeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter Sec. 17 Township (4) North Range (8) East containing (60) acres.

Said real estate will be sold on the following terms and conditions to-wit: Cash at private sale.

Bids for the purchase thereof must be in writing and must be filed in the County Court or delivered to

the undersigned at law office of James E. Webb, Ada, Oklahoma. Dated the 4th day of May, 1909. JIM CARNEY (First pub. May 6-10th)

## Normal School.

Those having work that may be done by boys or girls attending the Normal school the ensuing year—such as general house work, chores, janitors at business houses, and the like please notify me soon so that we may announce in our catalog that many deserving boys and girls may thus make part of all their expenses. Homes may thus get reliable help. M. L. Perkins

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## PERSONAL COLUMN

Have you seen Joe Bliss?

C. J. Warren spent Sunday in Atoka.

R. C. Jeter returned to Stonewall today.

Kodaks to sell or rent at Ramsey's Drug store. 12t

Pink Steed spent Sunday with his family here.

A. B. Collins of Roff was an Ada visitor Sunday.

Prof. Chas. W. Briles returned to Muskogee today.

Melvin Wilson made a business trip to Roff today.

Miss Ruth Taylor spent Sunday with home folks.

Arch Clark of Stonewall was an Ada visitor today.

Master Hughey Howerton is very ill with pneumonia.

Chief O. J. Cottle was over from Roff Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Shanafelt returned from Atoka Sunday afternoon.

C. E. Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway, phone 279. 272-tf

Dr. Saffarans returned Saturday night from a two weeks visit in Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Wade Noyes, from Wichita, Kan., is the guest of Mrs. Orville Sneed this week.

Rev. S. M. Goddard spent a few hours in Ada today en route from Konawa to Holdenville.

C. W. Graves has returned home from an extended visit with relatives in Martinsburg, W. Va.

Rev. J. C. Stubblefield went to Durant this morning, and will return with his family in a few days.

Mrs. Ward, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. U. G. Winn, returned to Stonewall this morning.

Rev. C. C. Barnhardt filled his regular appointment at Pitzhugh Sunday and returned home this morning.

Mrs. J. B. Shaw, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. J. K. Odie, two weeks, returned to her home in Sherman today.

John Turman and wife returned to Calvin today, having spent several days with Mrs. Turman's parents, A. J. Deaton and wife.

Mrs. Alexander's two little nieces from Stonewall returned home this morning, accompanied by their grandfather, Mr. Sprouce.

Mr. A. P. Roberts, recognized by his friends as Uncle Pleas, was a welcome visitor at the News office on Monday of this week.

Mrs. H. M. Furman and son, Henry Marshal, returned from Roff this morning. Mrs. Furman is the house guest of Mrs. Tom Hope.

J. B. Emory returned home Sunday from market, where he spent last week with Mr. J. B. Wall, proprietor of the Texas Department store.

Mr. Robert Thompson, of Cookeville, Tenn., and Mr. Lawrence Hudleston, of Sherman Tex., are in the city for a visit with relatives.

Mr. J. B. Wall, proprietor of the Texas Department store, arrived this morning, and is busy directing preparations for the opening of the new store.

Misses Laura Scribner, Minnie West and Mrs. Sol Moss and Mrs. Dan Scribner, relatives of Mrs. Frank Scribner, went to Stonewall this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Jackson, of Cornish, Okla., are visiting the family of C. C. Hargis, Mrs. Jackson's brother, of this city. Mr. Hargis and Mr. Jackson will make a visit to Oklahoma City leaving this afternoon.

Mr. A. L. Beck is improving his property on 17th and Broadway, where he expects to move when the work is completed. The house is being raised, will have a concrete foundation and concrete porches, and several other changes made.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.

## FOR A SOLDIER'S HOME.

An Appeal from General Cross to Those Interested.

It is my earnest wish and desire that we build for the Confederate Soldiers, their wives and widows, a home in the state of Oklahoma, and I appeal to everyone who is in sympathy in any way with us to send twenty-five cents towards this fund on June 3rd, as that will be Confederate Soldiers' day throughout Oklahoma.

In making this appeal to the public generally, we do so, believing there is not a citizen within the bounds of our great state, but who admires the courage of those who fought during the sixties on the opposite side from our brothers who wore the blue.

We are raising a fund for the purpose of building this home, and we believe that in asking this small contribution that there is no one in the state but what will feel like contributing at least that much toward building this home. After we have raised a certain amount of money, we will select the site in some locality where this home will be built.

In contributing money, please send to Col. J. J. McAlester, who is Treasurer of this Association, Guthrie, Ok. We feel that this small amount is in reach of every good citizen of Oklahoma, and that each and every citizen who is interested in the citizenship of Oklahoma will contribute something towards this home.

Thanking you in advance, I remain, very respectfully, Wm. M. Cross, Commander in Chief, U. C. V., Oklahoma Division.

### OFFICIALS INVOLVED.

Former Servants of Government Involved in Sugar Scandal.

New York, May 8.—Former officials of the treasury at Washington will be involved in the criminal prosecutions instituted against Oliver Spitzer and six others who were associated with him as weighers in the employ of the Havemeyers and Elder refinery, according to present indications. The seven men were indicted Friday on the charge of swindling the United States out of millions of dollars in duties on sugar, imported by the sugar trust.

The government claimed \$9,000,000 and the trust compromised by the payment of more than \$2,000,000 in fines, in the hope that such payment would settle the matter. The indictments returned on Friday were in effect a notice to the trust that criminal prosecutions would be pressed regardless of the civil suits.

### Notice to Warrant Holders.

All parties holding warrants issued by the Board of Education of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, from registered number 427 to 628 inclusive, also registered numbers 106 to 426 are requested to deliver them to me for cancellation and payment out of refunding bond issue.

W. D. HAYS, Treasurer.

### Notice.

I will leave Ada June 1st Parties desiring my services should call early that their work may be finished by that time J. D. Thompson, Dentist. 35-3t

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## HUGO OFFICER KILLED BY MEMBER OF OWN POSSE

THOUGHT TO BE A MOONSHINER IN AMBUSH.

Misunderstanding of Time and Places of Hiding Cause Accident.

Hugo, Ok., May 9.—The killing of Officer Holden is still the topic of discussion in this city and later information is that Holden was killed by some of his own party through a mistaken belief that he was one of the men they were seeking to arrest and not by the alleged moonshiner, as the latter offered no resistance whatever and did not fire a shot.

It seems that at Holden's suggestion the party of nine raiding deputies on arrival at the scene were divided in three squads, one of which was to approach from the front while the other two were to go to exact spots on the east and west ends of the house at a point where their lives would not be endangered by cross-firing.

Sheriff Connell and officers Irvin assumed the duty of entering the front way while Holden and a party went to the east side and the remainder to the west end of the house.

Holden, for some reason, went far beyond the point designated and hid himself in a clump of thick bushes. Sheriff Connell and Irvin approached the house through an open five-acre lot and almost gained the house before they were discovered by some children, who gave the alarm. The men in the house immediately stepped out the rear door, and seeing they were surrounded, at once surrendered to the officers on the west side of the house.

Meantime Sheriff Connell and his assistant had entered the house and a 17-year-old boy left the house, when Officer Holden opened fire upon him, firing three shots in rapid succession, driving the boy back in the house.

Each one of Holden's shots went through the house, endangering the lives of the officers.

The officers on the west, seeing that shots were coming from a direction and a point where the officers were directed not to get, began firing at the clump of bushes in which Holden had concealed himself, supposing they were shooting at an enemy. After about ten shots had been fired one of the prisoners remarked:

"You are firing upon your own men."

Sheriff Connell then stepped out of the house and requested the officers to cease firing. He and Officer Irvin then went to the spot where the shots were first fired and found the dead body of Officer Holden lying upon the ground. The body of Holden was buried here yesterday and many citizens attended the burial.

The officers are in possession of reliable information that eight or ten illicit distilleries are in operation in McCurtain county and it is probable more raids will be made in the near future. The two prisoners in default of bond of \$500 each were placed in jail.

### Will Not Change Location.

Last week some person with a strong imagination took a News reporter into his confidence and unfolded to him the information that the M., O. and G. railroad contemplated changing the location of the site of the new depot at Allen. Since that time we have been in communication with the officials and they inform us that the depot will be located at the spot originally picked out and that any rumors circulated about any other location were false. We are glad to make the correction.

### Prof. Briles Here.

Prof. Briles, president of the Ada Normal, arrived here yesterday for a consultation with the school board, also to meet the board of regents who will arrive here this afternoon. Prof. Briles was in consultation with the school trustees and normal committee this morning, discussing matters relative to making provision for the summer normal.

### Officers of XX Century.

At a called meeting of the XX Century Club on last Thursday in Mr. E. W. Hardin's office the officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are as follows: President, Mrs. Tom Hope; 1st vice president, Mrs. John McKinley; 2nd vice president, Mrs. C. A. Galbraith; secretary, Mrs. A. K. Thornton and treasurer, Mrs. Melissa Bills.

### From Konawa.

W. J. Berringer, who has been engaged with the Chief Leader at Konawa for some time was an Ada visitor today.

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WHO'S WHO IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE

CONSIDERATION OF TARIFF MAKES MATTERS COMPLICATED.

Senator Tillman Says You Can't Tell the Sheep from the Goats.

Washington, May 8.—"Who's who in America" is much simpler of solution than to differentiate between a republican and a democrat in the United States senate since the grave and staid membership of that body began the consideration of the tariff bill.

A stranger sitting in the galleries would be put to confusion to determine the party affiliations of a southern democratic senator, so coyly does he address himself alternately to the benefits of protection and the theoretical blessings that would flow from putting the lowest consistent tax upon the consumer.

Likewise would the stranger be confounded were he to try to fix the party of a western republican senator, who, while confessing his allegiance to the fundamental principles of protection, showers flowers of rhetoric upon the policy of giving his section certain articles of necessity duty free.

Senator Tillman's View. Senator Tillman has bluntly described the situation in the senate as being so badly mixed, that no one can tell "the sheep from the goats." Two speeches delivered last week will give a fair idea of the funny mix-up. Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, a republican to the marrow, spoke fervently and at length for free lumber and free other things which the consumers of his section of the great northwest need to make living less burdensome, and the next day senator Fletcher, of Florida, whose commission as a senator is fresh from the hands of a democratic governor and a democratic legislature fairly out-Aldriched Aldrich himself, in favor of protecting lumber, Sea Island cotton and citrus fruits. On the same day, Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, republican, spoke at great length for free lumber and a material reduction of the duties on other articles, which his people now

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- I. O. O. F. Seattle, September 20th-25th.
- A. Y. P. Exposition, Seattle, All Summer.
- Epworth League Seattle, July 7th-12th.
- Conference Church of Brethren, Harrisonburg, Va., May 26th, June 3d
- Mystic Shrine (Frisco Official Route) Louisville, June 8th-10th.
- Southern Baptist Convention, Louisville, May 12th-19th.

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have to pay at exorbitant prices on account of the Dingley rates. He talked so much like a democrat of the old faith that one of his republican colleagues twitted him with having weakened in his republicanism.

**Both Parties Divided.** The republicans are divided and their democratic brethren are similarly afflicted. Perhaps not half a dozen democratic senators are toeing the line, squarely on the old-time policy for a tariff for revenue. The others are "terribly wrenched." While laying stress upon their steadfastness for the old time doctrine for a tariff for revenue only, every man of them is squabbling over his specialties at a rate of duty on some special article which will afford a "pettle" protection incidentally. Apparently the fact that their stand is in juxtaposition with the attitude of their part is causing them no concern.

Now that the south is the bountiful storehouse of those raw materials almost exhausted in other sections, is that fact going to incline its people more and more to protection as manufacturers multiply is a question heard every day at the capitol. Senator Aldrich recently boldly declared that protection is no longer sectional, but national, and that the democratic party would have to recognize the fact and act accordingly.

**A Few Disgusted.** Senator Tillman of South Carolina, is evidently out of humor with his democratic colleagues for their protective leaning, and avails himself of every opportunity to prod them. Hence his observation a few days ago that the situation is so badly mixed that it is impossible to distinguish "the sheep from the goats." Senator Rayner of Maryland is also bordering on disgust with those democratic senators who are clamoring for a duty on favored articles in their respective states.

But beyond dispute the republicans are as deep in the mire as the democrats are in the mud, on the pending tariff bill, with the difference in favor of the democrats because the responsibility of enacting a tariff law does not rest upon their party in congress.

**Situation in House.** The situation in the house is not unlike that of the senate, for in the former as well as in the latter body republican is arrayed against republican, and democrat against democrat. But the members of the house, however wide their differences, that not upon them, but upon the members of the senate will the burden of responsibility for the new tariff law be placed, for when the bill finally emerges from conference, probably in a form totally strange either to the present house or senate measures, it will undoubtedly show more largely the handwork of Senator Aldrich chairman of the finance committee, than it does the work of Representative Payne, chairman of the house ways and means committee.

**Apaches May Move Grounds.** Lawton, Ok., May 9.—Chief Asa Dekkling, a nephew by marriage of the late Geronimo, war chief of the Apaches, who now legally heads the entire Apache prisoners of war at Fort Sill, left last night for the Mesquero reservation in New Mexico, where he hopes to find conditions favorable to a transfer of the Apaches from Oklahoma to that reservation. While several of the Apaches desire to remain under the protection of the War Department at Fort Sill the greater portion of their 250 war prisoners are united upon the movement to secure their liberty and be permitted to take up allotment in the Western Territory, where the older ones of the tribes once held supremacy. The new chief will return in ten days with his report for the government as well as for the tribe.

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JUDGE MARSHALL PRESIDING. Will Convene Federal Grand Jury in Tulsa Monday Morning.

Tulsa, Ok., May 8.—For the next thirty days national and state interests will again be centered in the city of Tulsa. On Monday the government attorneys will present the Muskogee town lot fraud cases, in which governor Haskell and others are defendants, to a new grand jury for investigation. Judge Ralph Campbell who was released before upon his own request has again been released from hearing the investigation.

Judge John A. Marshall, of Salt Lake City, Utah, who quashed the former indictments on April 10th, will preside over the coming investigation, and will arrive in Tulsa tomorrow. Special United States Prosecutor Sylvester Rush and Oliver T. Pagan, who drew the indictments will be here to assist District Attorney W. J. Gregg in the investigation.

Attorney Gregg stated today that he expected to be busy with the grand jury in the Muskogee land cases for at least thirty days. Rush and Pagan will come to Tulsa from Chicago.

There will be at least 75 witnesses here to testify before the grand jury coming from all parts of the United States. While all the documentary evidence presented to the last grand jury is at the disposal of the United States attorneys for the coming investigation, all witnesses must be re-examined.

STORM DAMAGE AT TULSA. Telephone and Telegraph Service Badly Crippled.

Tulsa, Ok., May 9.—Heavy damage was done by rain and lightning during a severe storm which raged all last night. Workmen on the Robinson Hotel, undergoing repairs, left the elevator shaft unprotected and the hotel was damaged by water to the amount of \$2,000. The Brady dry goods store, on East First street, was deluged by back water. Many basements were flooded.

Telephone, telephone and electric lighting service were badly crippled. The Pioneer Telephone Company estimates that it suffered a loss of \$5,000 by the storm. A washout on the Frisco between Sapulpa and Kansas City caused an annulment of the Kansas City Meteor, and a special train was made up at Sapulpa at a late hour.

Every town in this locality suffered from the storm.

No reports from the casualties have been verified, although there are rumors of such. Two inches of rain fell.

**Kills a Witness.** Shawnee, Okla., May 8.—Jim Garrett, a planing mill employee, was shot three times tonight by Lindsay Coleman, son of a former deputy U. S. marshal. The shooting took place in Joe Cowden's resort on south Broadway and the injured man was taken to the Shawnee hospital in a dying condition.

Assistant County Attorney Johnson was the first to reach Garrett after he was shot and when asked for a statement said: "Coleman shot me because I was a witness against him in police court today."

COMFORTING WORDS

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CAPITAL SCHEME NON-PARTISAN. Central Committees from Both Parties Pushing the Petition.

Oklahoma City, May 9.—The Oklahoma City state capital committee has succeeded in enlisting the support of the county organizations, of both political parties and both republican and democratic central committees are overseeing the circulation and correct signing of state capital initiative petitions.

The demand for petitions is so great that over 8,000 have already been sent out and many have been returned with the full number of names attached. However, the number of petitions returned is not completely satisfactory to H. A. Johnston, secretary of the committee.

"Those who have petitions will confer a great favor on the committee by returning them at the earliest possible moment," said Mr. Johnston. "We want to know just where we are at all the time."

A pleasing feature in the reception of the petition circulation has been the action of the notaries. In most instances they have declined to accept fees for certification services.

The committee has given formal notice to all members of the legislature of the proposed initiative measure.

In Time to Save the Crops.

Guthrie, Ok., May 9.—Central and Northern Oklahoma was visited by a severe electrical storm and drenching rain last night, terminating the spring drought that has been threatening crops. The storm in places was attended by a wind of high velocity, doing little damage.

Barlesville was in the hard wind

center, and near there a farm house was moved from its foundation, but the occupants escaped injury. Early in the night telegraph and telephone wires were put out of commission. It is believed the moisture came in time to save crops from loss from hot winds that have prevailed for nearly ten days.

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Church Directory

**Asbury Methodist Church.** Services first and third Sunday mornings at 11 and Sunday evening, also fourth Sunday evening of each month.

Sunday school every Sunday 9:45 a. m., W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00.

Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesday of each month.

**First Presbyterian Church.** Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent.

**Presbyterian Church.** Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.

Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

**First Baptist Church.** Rev. C. Stubblefield pastor. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

**Christian Church** Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. E. Smoiz, pastor.

Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.

Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.

The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m.

**First Methodist Church.** Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.

Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 8:00.

**North Ada Baptist Church.** Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayer-meeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

LODGE DIRECTORY.

**W. O. W.** Ada Camp, No. 568, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

**Ada Acme, No. 1746.** Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

**I. O. O. F.** Ada lodge No. 82, I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Deaton, N. G.; C. M. Chauncey, secretary.

**Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 144.** Meets first, third and fifth Saturday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. C. M. Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

| FRISCO.                 |  |
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| Eastbound.              |  |
| No. 308 due 9:15 a. m.  |  |
| No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.  |  |
| Westbound.              |  |
| No. 503 due 9:40 a. m.  |  |
| No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.  |  |
| M. K. & T.              |  |
| Southbound.             |  |
| No. 111 due 11:10 a. m. |  |
| Northbound.             |  |
| No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.  |  |
| OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.       |  |
| Westbound.              |  |
| No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.   |  |
| Eastbound.              |  |
| No. 2 due 4:07 p. m.    |  |

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## MRS. FRANK SCRIBNER IS ASSASSINATED

### Shot Through Window While Sitting Quietly at the Home of a Friend. Her Father Under Arrest.

Last evening about 9 o'clock at the home of her neighbor and relative Mr. Henry about two miles north of the little city of Stonewall Mrs. Frank Scribner was fatally assassinated. The perpetrator of the deed used a shot gun loaded with buckshot and fired through a window from the outside. Mr. and Mrs. Scribner reside about a mile and a half north of Stonewall and were spending the evening with the family of Mr. Henry. Mr. Scribner and wife were sitting near each other when the shot was fired but none of the other inmates of the house were injured. The load from the gun took effect in the back of the head and thirteen buckshot were in the wound.

The sheriff's force at Ada were notified of the tragedy as soon as possible and at two o'clock this morning Mr. Smith and his deputies were on the scene. About 150 yards from the house evidences were discovered of where a horse had been hitched and from this point the blood hounds took a trail. There was also found at this point a slicker or gun coat which may later help to substantiate a clue.

No reports from the sheriff's posse have been received since 10 o'clock today but they were in close pursuit at that time and felt positive that they would land their man.

At the present writing there is absolutely no clue as to the reason for the murder or the identity of the person. It has been suggested by some that the man was probably shooting at Mr. Scribner and killed the wife incidentally but the markings on the clothing would tend to refute this supposition.

A report also came out this afternoon that the other had effected the capture of an Indian but it could not be substantiated and is believed to be a false report.

Mr. and Mrs. Scribner were both young people and had only been married a short while. Mrs. Scribner was only 19 years old and of Indian descent her maiden name being Lil He Six.

### LATER.

Just as the News was going to press with the above report the sheriff's posse arrived on the north bound Katy train with Bill Six, the father of Mrs. Scribner. The hounds trailed him for several hours in a circuit but near Conway, thence back near home, where he was captured this afternoon. He was placed in the county jail to await investigation.

### School Men Arrive.

Those officials who will have to do with the location of the South Central normal at this place arrived on the north bound Katy this afternoon. The party is composed of Supt. of Public Instruction E. D. Campbell, J. A. Manfey State Treasurer, J. B. Mosley prominent business man and politician of Oklahoma City and W. W. Hastings attorney for the Cherokee Nation a talented lawyer and prominent politician. They are registered at the Harris and will take up their work here tomorrow.

### For De Sota.

Miss Irene Eddleman one of Ada's most noted singers has been engaged as musical director at the De Sota theater and this popular institution will be picked by her friends to hear her. Miss Eddleman has often appeared before Ada audiences and her singing is always enjoyed. The De Sota is to be congratulated in securing Miss Eddleman.

## COUNTY SUPT. PIERCE MAKES IT PLAIN

### CAMPBELL RUSSELL'S ARGUMENT NOT WELL FOUNDED.

### His Claim That There Are Too Many State Institutions Is Flimsy Indeed.

Mr. Editor:

I understand that Campbell Russell is preparing a petition along with his other petitions to referendum the Ada state normal school hoping that when the matter is submitted to the vote of the people it will be killed. When he is asked why he is interested in knocking out the Ada state normal his answer is that the state has too many. The argument is poor and without foundation. I have taken pains to look up the record of what other states have. I wish to report a few states having six or more state normals not to mention the private normals of these states. I quote from the commission of Education as reported for the year ending June 30 1906 Vol. 1 page 287 Illinois 6 Massachusetts 12 Minnesota 6 New York 20 Pennsylvania 13 West Virginia 7 Wisconsin 10.

The same record shows that these states have many private normals that are chartered and doing as high grade and efficient work as the state normals. So when it comes to the question of being too many compared with other states Mr. Russell's argument comes to naught.

Again Mr. Russell says to do away with the Ada state normal will be a financial saving to the state. Let us see. The more normals the more trained teachers we have. The more

trained teachers we have the more efficient is the work in the schools which is a splendid asset. The taxpayers wish to get value received for school taxes. There is no sure way to do this than to have better trained teachers.

There are in the state of Oklahoma 10,000 teachers most of them being female teachers. The average life of a female teacher as a teacher is three years. To train teachers for the army of school children in Oklahoma there is no greater investment that the state can make.

If Mr. Russell is so anxious about the financial end of the matter let him explain to the public why he is zealous over maintaining a long chain of agricultural schools. These schools are all right but let Mr. Russell make it plain why he is in favor of many of the one and fewer of the other.

If the matter is submitted to a vote the people will have the opportunity to hand Mr. Russell one.

Respectfully  
F. F. PIERCE

## STATE PRESS MEET AT CLAREMORE

### PROGRAM COMPLETE FOR THE TWO DAYS SESSION.

### Will Be Entertained as Special Guests of the Commercial Club.

Claremore Ok May 9.—The Oklahoma State Press Association will hold the annual meeting here May 14-15 is guests of the Commercial Club. Among the features will be a ball and banquet on the first night of the association. Hon. Andrew Boud will deliver the address of welcome for the citizens and President Duffie of the State association will make the response of this occasion. The following program has been arranged.

Friday May 14 10 a. m.—Welcome address. Judge F. L. Brown on behalf of the city of Claremore. Response John Colombe State Register. Further annual address by President P. P. Duffie (democratic). Reno secretary's report appointment of committees. The program will be interspersed with music throughout the meeting. The entertainment for topics for discussion have been made as follows:

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Saturday May 22 10 a. m.—The Devil L. M. Spivey Democrat, Adadarko Foreign Advertising Eugene Keri Times-Democrat Muskogee Newspaper Legislation C. S. Bennett Beacon Cordell Oklahoma Underground Wealth, H. P. Robbins News-Capital McAlester The Principality of No Man's Land J. Porter Wright Democrat Guymon  
Following the program the election of officers will be held and selection for next place of meeting.

City Federation.  
The following officers were elected at a called meeting last Tuesday for the city federation. President Mrs. R. F. King vice president Mrs. W. W. Sledge secretary Mrs. C. A. Galbraith treasurer Mrs. Virgil Hale auditor Mrs. A. M. Croxton

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For the third time this year the hand of the foul assassin has been raised against citizens of Pontotoc county, and three victims have given up their lives without warning. The latest occurrence of this kind to shock and terrify the people was the assassination of Mrs. Frank Scribner, of the Stonewall community, last evening. These deplorable events are coming in swift succession when it is considered that this is the third this year. Swift and adequate jus-

tice from the courts is undoubtedly the only cure, and let it be hoped that this be done in every instance.

## Dr. Browall Ill.

Dr. H. Browall is at his home suffering seriously with blood poison, contracted while performing an operation recently on a patient. It is understood that a special physician from Sherman, Tex., will arrive this afternoon to attend the doctor in his illness.

## The Hen and the Doorknob

By Herbert Kaufman

Once upon a time there was a fool hen who sat on a china doorknob for three weeks expecting to get a family. The only thing she did get was experience.

The advertising field is full of "china doorknob propositions"—examples of merchants who expect good newspapers to hatch money out of bad egg business, or who put sound nest eggs under the wrong "advertising hen."

There are three principles to follow in an advertising campaign: First of all, find a business that will stand advertising; secondly, find the newspaper that will make the advertising pay; thirdly, give the newspaper time to pay.

You can't start in to breed dollars in less time than it takes to hatch them any more than you can pull a hen off the nest before she has had a chance to incubate. In both cases you simply waste what has been invested. If you stop too soon you will get a rotten egg instead of a chicken.

Advertise something out of which you may reasonably expect returns, and when you have found what to advertise, take care that you place your copy in a newspaper that can turn the trick. Don't delude yourself with a china doorknob, and don't confuse a "rooster newspaper," which spends its time cock-a-loruming, for a "hen newspaper" that is too busy hatching out dollars to strut about crowing.

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## DISTRICT COURT CONVENES TODAY

JUDGE RAINEY OPENS COURT AT TEN O'CLOCK.

Grand Jury Recharged and Hearing of Cases Commenced.

Judge Robert M. Rainey, of Atoka, the newly appointed district judge for this district arrived here yesterday and opened court at ten o'clock this morning. The grand jury empaneled at the special term two weeks ago was retained. Judge Rainey delivered a lengthy charge covering the whole statutes, dwelling particularly on the crimes of murder, selling liquor and carrying concealed weapons.

He stated that the most prevalent violators were those of the prohibition law, explaining that property holders who rented or leased property for this purpose could be enjoined from doing so, and not only that but the property could be condemned and confiscated to the state. The judge was emphatic in all his remarks and he doesn't mince words in his condemnation of crime.

Judge Rainey explained the reason for a congested docket in this district, stating this as one of the reasons for the appointment of an extra judge for this district.

It is the intention of him and Judge West, however, to clear the docket in this district at once, and no time will be lost in doing so.

The judge's charge will appear in tomorrow's News complete.

### New Parsonage.

Work was commenced today on the new Baptist parsonage, the contract having been let to R. J. Ross. The parsonage will be located on the lot north of the Baptist church. It is to be a two story structure, at a cost of about \$2000, and will be a credit to the Baptists and to the city of Ada.

### Lid on at Holdenville.

Holdenville, Okla., May 8.—This week the lid has been on in Holdenville and it is said to fit tight. The recent grand jury returned seventy indictments for the sale of liquor in Hughes county, and this week the entire time of the county court has been given to the trials. Pete Demolan of Wetumka was first placed upon trial for selling "Sunbeam," which had more than one-half of one per cent of alcohol in it. Prohibitionists of the entire county were in attendance and the case attracted more of a crowd than a murder case usually does.

Another case was H. F. Bauer, proprietor of the "Mistletoe" joint in this city. This took up two days in the trial and after the jury remained out twenty-four hours, it failed to reach a verdict and was discharged. All joints in the county are closed, but what will be the next step, either of the jointists or prohibitionists, cannot be stated now.

### Board of Regents.

Information was received from the board of regents at Durant today that they had concluded their work at that place and would arrive here this afternoon instead of tomorrow as had been planned. They will be met at the train by Ada citizens and escorted to the 25,000 club rooms where they will be given an informal reception.

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## Legal Publications

Notice of the First Meeting of Creditors.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma, at Ada.

In the matter of E. P. Bryant of Roff, Oklahoma, Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of E. P. Bryant, a Bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that, on the 21st day of April, 1909, the said E. P. Bryant was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office at Ada, Okla., at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on the 17th day of May, A. D., 1909, at which time the creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

This 6th day of May, 1909.

A. H. CONSTANT,

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### Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Nannie Ford.

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the County of Pontotoc, State of Oklahoma, made on the 5th day of May, 1909, the undersigned Guardian of the estate of Nannie Ford will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, subject to confirmation by said court, on Saturday the 22nd day of May, A. D., 1909, at 11 o'clock A. M., at County Court House, Ada, Okla., all the right, title and interest of said Nannie Ford in and to the following described real estate situate in Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, to-wit: East one-half of the Southeast quarter of the southeast quarter and the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter, Sec. 17, Township (4) North, Range (8) East, containing (60) acres.

Said real estate will be sold on the following terms and conditions, to-wit: Cash at private sale.

Bids for the purchase thereof must be in writing and must be filed in the County Court, or delivered to

the undersigned at law office of James E. Webb, Ada, Oklahoma. Dated the 4th day of May, 1909. JIM CARNEY. (First pub. May 6—10td)

### Normal School.

Those having work that may be done by boys or girls attending the Normal school the ensuing year—such as general house work, chores, janitors at business houses, and the like, please notify me soon so that we may announce in our catalog that many deserving boys and girls may thus make part or all their expenses homes may thus get reliable help. M. L. Perkins. 614

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## PERSONAL COLUMN

Have you seen Joe Blues?

C. J. Warren spent Sunday in Atoka.

R. C. Jeter returned to Stonewall today.

Kodaks to sell or rent at Ramsey's Drug store. 12c

Pink Stead spent Sunday with his family here.

A. B. Collins of Roff was an Ada visitor Sunday.

Prof. Chas. W. Briles returned to Muskogee today.

Melvin Wilson made a business trip to Roff today.

Miss Ruth Taylor spent Sunday with home folks.

Arch Clark of Stonewall was an Ada visitor today.

Master Hughey Howerton is very ill with pneumonia.

Chief O. J. Cottle was over from Roff Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Shanafelt returned from Atoka Sunday afternoon.

C. E. Daggs, tinner and plumber, North Broadway, phone 279. 272-11

Dr. Saffarans returned Saturday night from a two weeks visit in Memphis, Tenn.

Miss Wade Noyes, from Wichita, Kan., is the guest of Mrs. Orville Snead this week.

Rev. S. M. Goddard spent a few hours in Ada today en route from Konawa to Holdenville.

C. W. Graves has returned home from an extended visit with relatives in Martinsburg, W. Va.

Rev. J. C. Stubbiefield went to Durant this morning, and will return with his family in a few days.

Mrs. Ward, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. U. G. Winn, returned to Stonewall this morning.

Rev. C. C. Barnhardt filled his regular appointment at Fitzhugh Sunday and returned home this morning.

Mrs. J. B. Shaw, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. J. K. Odie, two weeks, returned to her home in Sherman today.

John Turman and wife returned to Calvin today, having spent several days with Mrs. Turman's parents, A. J. Deaton and wife.

Mrs. Alexander's two little nieces from Stonewall returned home this morning, accompanied by their grandfather, Mr. Spruce.

Mr. A. P. Roberts, recognized by his friends as Uncle Pleas, was a welcome visitor at the News office on Monday of this week.

Mrs. H. M. Furman and son, Henry Marshall, returned from Roff this morning. Mrs. Furman is the house guest of Mrs. Tom Hope.

J. B. Emory returned home Sunday from market, where he spent last week with Mr. J. B. Wall, proprietor of the Texas Department store.

Mr. Robert Thompson, of Cookeville, Tenn., and Mr. Lawrence Huddleston, of Sherman, Tex., are in the city for a visit with relatives.

Mr. J. B. Wall, proprietor of the Texas Department store, arrived this morning, and is busy directing preparations for the opening of the new store.

Misses Laura Scribner, Minnie West and Mrs. Sol Moss and Mrs. Dan Scribner, relatives of Mrs. Frank Scribner, went to Stonewall this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Jackson, of Cornish, Okla., are visiting the family of C. C. Hargis, Mrs. Jackson's brother, of this city. Mr. Hargis and Mr. Jackson will make a visit to Oklahoma City leaving this afternoon.

Mr. A. L. Beck is improving his property on 17th and Broadway, where he expects to move when the work is completed. The house is being raised, will have a concrete foundation and concrete porches, and several other changes made.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at this office.

## FOR A SOLDIER'S HOME

An Appeal from General Cross to Those Interested.

It is my earnest wish and desire that we build for the Confederate Soldiers, their wives and widows, a home in the state of Oklahoma, and I appeal to everyone who is in sympathy in any way with us to send twenty-five cents towards this fund on June 3rd, as that will be Confederate Soldiers' day throughout Oklahoma.

In making this appeal to the public generally, we do so, believing there is not a citizen within the bounds of our great state, but who admires the courage of those who fought during the sixties on the opposite side from our brothers who wore the blue. We are raising a fund for the purpose of building this home, and we believe that in asking this small contribution that there is no one in the state but what will feel like contributing at least that much toward building this home. After we have raised a certain amount of money, we will select the site in some locality where this home will be built.

In contributing money, please send to Col. J. J. McAlester, who is Treasurer of this Association, Guthrie, Ok.

We feel that this small amount is in reach of every good citizen of Oklahoma, and that each and every citizen who is interested in the citizenship of Oklahoma will contribute something towards this home.

Thanking you in advance, I remain, very respectfully, Wm. M. Cross, Commander in Chief, U. C. V., Oklahoma Division.

### OFFICIALS INVOLVED.

Former Servants of Government Involved in Sugar Scandal.

New York, May 8.—Former officials of the treasury at Washington will be involved in the criminal prosecutions instituted against Oliver Spitzer and six others who were associated with him as weighers in the employ of the Havemeyers and Elder refinery, according to present indications. The seven men were indicted Friday on the charge of swindling the United States out of millions of dollars in duties on sugar, imported by the sugar trust.

The government claimed \$9,000,000 and the trust compromised by the payment of more than \$2,000,000 in fines, in the hope that such payment would settle the matter. The indictments returned on Friday were in effect a notice to the trust that criminal prosecutions would be pressed regardless of the civil suits.

### Notice to Warrant Holders.

All parties holding warrants issued by the Board of Education of the City of Ada, Oklahoma, from registered number 427 to 628 inclusive, also registered numbers 406 to 426 are requested to deliver them to me for cancellation and payment out of refunding bond issue.

W. D. HAYS, Treasurer.

### Notice.

I will leave Ada June 1st. Parties desiring my services should call early that their work may be finished by that time. J. D. Thompson, Dentist. 35-31

## WANTS

Advertising under this head will be charged at following rates:

One insertion, per word.....1c  
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### WANTED.

WANTED—A boy with pony to take News route in North Ada. Good job. Apply at News office at once.

WANTED—Trustworthy man or woman in each county to advertise, receive orders and manage business for New York Mail Order House. \$18.00 Weekly, position permanent; no investment required. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Spare time valuable. Enclose self addressed envelope for full particulars. Address, Clarke Co., Wholesale Dept., 103 Park Ave., New York. 37-101

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## HUGO OFFICER KILLED BY MEMBER OF OWN POSSE

THOUGHT TO BE A MOONSHINER IN AMBUSH.

Misunderstanding of Time and Places of Hiding Cause Accident.

Hugo, Ok., May 9.—The killing of Officer Holden is still the topic of discussion in this city and later information is that Holden was killed by some of his own party through a mistaken belief that he was one of the men they were seeking to arrest and not by the alleged moonshiner, as the latter offered no resistance whatever and did not fire a shot.

It seems that at Holden's suggestion the party of nine raiding deputies on arrival at the scene were divided in three squads, one of which was to approach from the front while the other two were to go to exact spots on the east and west ends of the house at a point where their lives would not be endangered by cross-firing.

Sheriff Connell and officers Irvin assumed the duty of entering the front way while Holden and a party went to the east side and the remainder to the west end of the house.

Holden, for some reason, went far beyond the point designated and hid himself in a clump of thick bushes. Sheriff Connell and Irvin approached the house through an open five-acre lot and almost gained the house before they were discovered by some children, who gave the alarm. The men in the house immediately stepped out the rear door, and seeing they were surrounded, at once surrendered to the officers on the west side of the house.

Meantime Sheriff Connell and his assistant had entered the house and a 17-year-old boy left the house, when Officer Holden opened fire upon him, firing three shots in rapid succession, driving the boy back in the house.

Each one of Holden's shots went through the house, endangering the lives of the officers.

The officers on the west, seeing that shots were coming from a direction and a point where the officers were directed not to get, began firing at the clump of bushes in which Holden had concealed himself, supposing they were shooting at an enemy. After about ten shots had been fired one of the prisoners remarked:

"You are firing upon your own men."

Sheriff Connell then stepped out of the house and requested the officers to cease firing. He and Officer Irvin then went to the spot where the shots were first fired and found the dead body of Officer Holden lying upon the ground. The body of Holden was buried here yesterday and many citizens attended the burial.

The officers are in possession of reliable information that eight or ten illicit distilleries are in operation in McCurtain county and it is probable more raids will be made in the near future. The two prisoners in default of bond of \$500 each were placed in jail.

### Will Not Change Location.

Last week some person with a strong imagination took a News reporter into his confidence and unfolded to him the information that the M., O. and G. railroad contemplated changing the location of the site of the new depot at Allen. Since that time we have been in communication with the officials and they inform us that the depot will be located at the spot originally picked out and that any rumors circulated about any other location were false. We are glad to make the correction.

### Prof. Briles Here.

Prof. Briles, president of the Ada Normal, arrived here yesterday for a consultation with the school board, also to meet the board of regents who will arrive here this afternoon. Prof. Briles was in consultation with the school trustees and normal committee this morning, discussing matters relative to making provision for the summer normal.

### Officers of XX Century.

At a called meeting of the XX Century Club on last Thursday in Mr. E. W. Hardin's office the officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are as follows: President, Mrs. Tom Hope; 1st vice president, Mrs. John McKinley; 2nd vice president, Mrs. C. A. Galbraith; secretary, Mrs. A. K. Thornton and treasurer, Mrs. Melissa Bills.

### From Konawa.

W. J. Berringer, who has been engaged with the Chief Leader at Konawa for some time was an Ada visitor today.

# Why Not Now

## Put in Those Electric Lights

That you have been promising your good wife and yourself? Why not enjoy one of the comforts of this life that is within your reach?

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The dollars saved keeping in touch with the markets will pay the price many fold.

In case of an emergency when a doctor or neighbor is needed, life or property may be saved.

The telephone has done away with the old time isolation that handicapped social life in the country and drove young people to the city.

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# WHO'S WHO IN THE UNITED STATES SENATE

## CONSIDERATION OF TARIFF MAKES MATTERS COMPLICATED.

### Senator Tillman Says You Can't Tell the Sheep from the Goats.

Washington, May 8.—"Who's who in America" is much simpler of solution than to differentiate between a republican and a democrat in the United States senate since the grave and staid membership of that body began the consideration of the tariff bill.

A stranger sitting in the galleries would be put to confusion to determine the party affiliations of a southern democratic senator, so coyly does he address himself alternately to the benefits of protection and the theoretical blessings that would flow from putting the lowest consistent tax upon the consumer.

Likewise would the stranger be confounded were he to try to fix the party of a western republican senator, who, while confessing his allegiance to the fundamental principles of protection, showers flowers of rhetoric upon the policy of giving his section certain articles of necessity duty free.

### Senator Tillman's View.

Senator Tillman has bluntly described the situation in the senate as being so badly mixed, that no one can tell "the sheep from the goats." Two speeches delivered last week will give a fair idea of the funny mix-up. Senator Nelson, of Minnesota, a republican to the marrow, spoke fervently and at length for free lumber and free other things which the consumers of his section of the great northwest need to make living less burdensome, and the next day senator Fletcher, of Florida, whose commission as a senator is fresh from the hands of a democratic governor and a democratic legislature fairly out-Aldriched Aldrich himself, in favor of protecting lumber, Sea Island cotton and citrus fruits. On the same day, Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, republican, spoke at great length for free lumber and a material reduction of the duties on other articles, which his people now

have to buy at exorbitant prices on account of the Dingley rates. He talked so much like a democrat of the old faith that one of his republican colleagues twitted him with having weakened in his republicanism.

### Both Parties Divided.

The republicans are divided and their democratic brethren are similarly afflicted. Perhaps not half a dozen democratic senators are toeing the line squarely on the old-time policy for a tariff for revenue. The others are "terribly wrenched." While laying stress upon their steadfastness for the old time doctrine for a tariff for revenue only, every man of them is squabbling over his specialties at a rate of duty on some special article which will afford a "pettle" protection incidentally. Apparently the fact that their stand is in juxtaposition with the attitude of their part is causing them no concern.

Now that the south is the bountiful storehouse of those raw materials almost exhausted in other sections, is that fact going to incline its people more and more to protection as manufacturers multiply is a question heard every day at the capitol. Senator Aldrich recently boldly declared that protection is no longer sectional, but national, and that the democratic party would have to recognize the fact and act accordingly.

### A Few Disgusted.

Senator Tillman of South Carolina, is evidently out of humor with his democratic colleagues for their protective leaning, and avails himself of every opportunity to prod them. Hence his observation a few days ago that the situation is so badly mixed that it is impossible to distinguish "the sheep from the goats." Senator Rayner of Maryland is also bordering on disgust with those democratic senators who are clamoring for a duty on favored articles in their respective states.

But beyond dispute the republicans are as deep in the mire as the democrats are in the mud, on the pending tariff bill, with the difference in favor of the democrats because the responsibility of enacting a tariff law does not rest upon their party in congress.

### Situation in House.

The situation in the house is not unlike that of the senate, for in the former as well as in the latter body republican is arrayed against republican, and democrat against democrat. But the members of the house, however wide their differences, that not upon them, but upon the members of the senate will the burden of responsibility for the new tariff law be placed, for when the bill finally emerges from conference, probably in a form totally strange either to the present house or senate measures, it will undoubtedly show more largely the handwork of Senator Aldrich chairman of the finance committee, than it does the work of Representative Payne, chairman of the house ways and means committee.

### Apaches May Move Grounds.

Lawton, Ok., May 9.—Chief Asa Dekkling, a nephew by marriage of the late Geronimo, war chief of the Apaches, who now legally heads the entire Apache prisoners of war at Fort Sill, left last night for the Mesquero reservation in New Mexico, where he hopes to find conditions favorable to a transfer of the Apaches from Oklahoma to that reservation. While several of the Apaches desire to remain under the protection of the War Department at Fort Sill the greater portion of their 250 war prisoners are united upon the movement to secure their liberty and be permitted to take up allotment in the Western Territory, where the older ones of the tribes once held supremacy. The new chief will return in ten days with his report for the government as well as for the tribe.

### Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by Catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Try a News "Want Ad"

## JUDGE MARSHALL PRESIDING.

### Will Convene Federal Grand Jury in Tulsa Monday Morning.

Tulsa, Ok., May 8.—For the next thirty days national and state interests will again be centered in the city of Tulsa. On Monday the government attorneys will present the Muskogee town lot fraud cases, in which governor Haskell and others are defendants, to a new grand jury for investigation. Judge Ralph Campbell who was released before upon his own request has again been released from hearing the investigation.

Judge John A. Marshall, of Salt Lake City, Utah, who quashed the former indictments on April 10th, will preside over the coming investigation, and will arrive in Tulsa tomorrow. Special United States Prosecutor Sylvester Rush and Oliver T. Pagan, who drew the indictments will be here to assist District Attorney W. J. Gregg in the investigation.

Attorney Gregg stated today that he expected to be busy with the grand jury in the Muskogee land cases for at least thirty days. Rush and Pagan will come to Tulsa from Chicago.

There will be at least 75 witnesses here to testify before the grand jury coming from all parts of the United States. While all the documentary evidence presented to the last grand jury is at the disposal of the United States attorneys for the coming investigation, all witnesses must be re-examined.

## STORM DAMAGE AT TULSA.

### Telephone and Telegraph Service Badly Crippled.

Tulsa, Ok., May 9.—Heavy damage was done by rain and lightning during a severe storm which raged all last night. Workmen on the Robinson Hotel, undergoing repairs, left the elevator shaft unprotected and the hotel was damaged by water to the amount of \$2,000. The Brady dry goods store, on East First street, was deluged by back water. Many basements were flooded.

Telephone, telephone and electric lighting service were badly crippled.

The Pioneer Telephone Company estimates that it suffered a loss of \$5,000 by the storm. A washout on the Frisco between Sapulpa and Kansas City caused an annulment of the Kansas City Meteor, and a special train was made up at Sapulpa at a late hour.

Every town in this locality suffered from the storm.

No reports from the casualties have been verified, although there are rumors of such. Two inches of rain fell.

## Kills a Witness.

Shawnee, Okla., May 8.—Jim Garrett, a planing mill employee, was shot three times tonight by Lindsay Coleman, son of a former deputy U. S. marshal. The shooting took place in Joe Cowden's resort on south Broadway and the injured man was taken to the Shawnee hospital in a dying condition.

Assistant County Attorney Johnson was the first to reach Garrett after he was shot and when asked for a statement said: "Coleman shot me because I was a witness against him in police court today."

## COMFORTING WORDS

### Many an Ada Household Will Find Them So.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed; to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous urinary disorders is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. To tell how this great change can be brought about will prove comforting words to hundreds of Ada readers.

E. M. Allen carpenter, Tenth St. Holdenville, Okla., says: "I do not know how to express my gratitude to Doan's Kidney Pills for the relief they have given me. Up to a few months ago I suffered to quite an extent from weak kidneys. My joints became so lame that I could hardly move about and often I woke at night finding myself in such a stiffened condition that I had to have assistance to turn. There was a dull, heavy ache directly over my kidneys and also rheumatic twinges which darted through my body. The kidney secretions passed with a scalding sensation and were very unnatural. After other kidney remedies had failed to have any effect upon my case, Doan's Kidney Pills came to my aid. The first few doses relieved me and, a short continued use brought about a complete cure."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

All kinds of legal blanks for sale at the News office.

## CAPITAL SCHEME NON-PARTISAN.

### Central Committees from Both Parties Pushing the Petition.

Oklahoma City, May 9.—The Oklahoma City state capital committee has succeeded in enlisting the support of the county organizations, of both political parties and both republican and democratic central committees are overseeing the circulation and correct signing of state capital initiative petitions.

The demand for petitions is so great that over 8,000 have already been sent out and many have been returned with the full number of names attached. However, the number of petitions returned is not completely satisfactory to H. A. Johnston, secretary of the committee.

"Those who have petitions will confer a great favor on the committee by returning them at the earliest possible moment," said Mr. Johnston. "We want to know just where we are at all the time."

A pleasing feature in the reception of the petition circulation has been the action of the notaries. In most instances they have declined to accept fees for certification services.

The committee has given formal notice to all members of the legislature of the proposed initiative measure.

## In Time to Save the Crops.

Guthrie, Ok., May 9.—Central and Northern Oklahoma was visited by a severe electrical storm and drenching rain last night, terminating the spring drought that has been threatening crops. The storm in places was attended by a wind of high velocity, doing little damage.

Barlesville was in the hard wind

center, and near there a farm house was moved from its foundation, but the occupants escaped injury. Early in the night telegraph and telephone wires were put out of commission. It is believed the moisture came in time to save crops from loss from hot winds that have prevailed for nearly ten days.

## Notice.

People who have bottles belonging to the Artesian well will kindly set them out where the driver can see them or phone 176.

## Smashes All Records.

As an all-round laxative tonic and health-builder no other pills can compare with Dr. King's New Life Pills. They tone and regulate stomach, liver and kidneys, purify the blood, strengthen the nerves; cure Jaundice, Headache, Chills and Malaria. Try them. 25c at G. M. Ramsey's.

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If your blood is impure, thin and diseased, hot or full of humors, if you have blood poison, cancer, carbuncles eating sores, scrofula, eczema, itching, risings and lumps, swellings or suppurating sores, scabby pimply skin, ulcers, bone pains, catarrh, rheumatism, or any blood or skin disease, take Botanic Blood Balm (H. B. B.) Soon all sores heal up, pains stop and the blood is made pure and rich. Druggists or by express \$1 per large bottle. Sample free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta Ga. B. B. B. is especially advised for chronic, deep-seated cases of blood or skin diseases, as it cures after all else fails. Sold in Ada, Okla. by G. M. Ramsey. Call or write 1-10.

# Church Directory

**Asbury Methodist Church.**  
Services first and third Sunday mornings at 11 and Sunday evening, also fourth Sunday evening of each month.  
Sunday school every Sunday 9:45 a. m., W. L. Roddie, superintendent. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.  
Junior League meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00.  
Woman's Home Missionary Society meets first and third Wednesday of each month.

**First Presbyterian Church.**  
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m., J. T. Higgins, superintendent.

**Presbyterian Church.**  
Services Sunday morning at 11 and evening at 8:00. J. D. White, pastor.  
Sunday School at 9:45, Orville Sneed, superintendent. Junior Endeavor society meets every Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Ladies Aid Society meets every Monday afternoon at 2:30.

**First Baptist Church.**  
Rev. C. Stubblefield pastor. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., W. U. Duncan, superintendent. B. Y. P. U. Sunday afternoon at 6:30.

**Christian Church**  
Services Sunday morning at 11 and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. C. E. Smoiz, pastor.  
Sunday School at 10 a. m., L. T. Walters, superintendent.  
Ladies Aid meets first and third Wednesdays and C. W. B. M. first Thursday in each month. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00.  
The Christian Endeavor Society meets at 3 p. m.

**First Methodist Church.**  
Services Sunday morning at 11 o'clock and Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. W. M. Wilson, pastor.  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock. T. F. Pierce, superintendent. Prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8:00. Senior League meets every Sunday evening at 7:00. Intermediate and Junior Leagues meet Sunday afternoon. Home Mission Society meets every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, except 3rd Monday. Foreign Mission Society meets every 3rd Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Teachers meeting every Tuesday evening at 8:00.

**North Ada Baptist Church.**  
Sunday School every Sunday morning at 9:45, A. N. Harrison, superintendent. Prayer-meeting every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

## LODGE DIRECTORY.

**W. O. W.**  
Ada Camp, No. 568, Woodmen of the World, meets every 1st and 3rd Monday nights at I. O. O. F. hall. Visiting Woodmen are always welcome.

**Ada Aerie, No. 1746.**  
Meets every Wednesday evening in hall on South Townsend.

**I. O. O. F.**  
Ada lodge No. 82, I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday evening. A. T. Deaton, N. G.; C. M. Chauncey, secretary.

**Ada Rebekah Lodge No. 144.**  
Meets first, third and fifth Saturday nights of each month. Noble Grand, Mrs. C. M. Chauncey; Secretary, Mrs. Olive Baker.

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

**FRISCO.**  
Eastbound.  
No. 308 due 9:15 a. m.  
No. 510 due 4:10 p. m.  
Westbound.  
No. 509 due 9:40 a. m.  
No. 507 due 9:00 p. m.  
**M. K. & T.**  
Southbound.  
No. 111 due 11:10 a. m.  
Northbound.  
No. 112 due 4:05 p. m.  
**OKLAHOMA CENTRAL.**  
Westbound.  
No. 3 due 10:32 a. m.  
Eastbound.  
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